DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·02	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Ragi, avare, cholum and dry paddy are being sown.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are being carried on in parts of all the taluks and sowing operations in parts of a few taluks.

Crops sown.—Punaji paddy in parts of the Bangalore, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; haraka in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk; cholum in parts of the Channapatna Taluk; til in parts of the Hoskote Taluk; ground-nut in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks; ragi and avare in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks; and togari in parts of the Bangalore Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy, sugar cane and til are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good, but want of rain is still felt. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Plague cases are reported to have occurred in the Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore Taluk, and rats are said to be dying in the Uttarahalli Hobli of the same taluk. In other parts of the district, public health is good.

12. Rinderpest is reported to have broken out in parts of the Channapatna Taluk. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Dry lands are being ploughed in all the taluks. Sowing operations are being carried on in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Paddy in Srinivaspur; samè and haraka in Mulbagal; jola and natt ragi in Sidlaghatta; ragi, togari and avare in the Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in the Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and paddy in the Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks are fairly in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Prices of food stuffs have slightly risen. Rainfall is still insufficient throughout the district.

11. Except for the prevalence of cholera in parts of the Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Pavagada Taluk report not received.

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; ragi, avare and togari in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; castor in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Gubbi Taluks; and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; til in parts of the Maddagiri and Sira Taluks and cholum in parts of the Sira and Gubbi Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of the Kunigal Taluk, yield 4 annas; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield from 2 to 8 annas.

Condition of standing crops.—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; ragi, avare and togari in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; groundnuts in parts of the Sira, Gubbi, and Tiptur Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; til in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Maddagiri Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; black and green grams in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; castor in parts of the Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and cholum in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fair condition. Sowing and ploughing operations are being carried on.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is wanted in all parts of the district. Food stuffs are available.

11. Cholera is prevailing in some villages of the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Seringapatam and Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops sown.—Avare, paddy and ragi in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk and haraka in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

State of standing crops is reported to be good except in the taluks of Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Krishnarajpete where want of rain is felt.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in the Hunsur and Malvalli Towns and in one village in each of the Hunsur, Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks and cholera in Bannur of the T.-Narsipur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi and paddy in the Hassan and Manjarabad Taluks; ragi, avare, togari, castor and til in the Arkalgud Taluk; ragi, sugar cane, paddy, togari and castor in the Belur Taluk; ragi, paddy, cholum sugar cane, til, black and green grams and chillies in the Channarayapatna Taluk; til, cholum, chillies black and green grams, and tadagani in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, togari, til, castor, avare and tadagani in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and paddy, ragi and sugar cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition. It is reported that dry crops are slightly withering for want of rain in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane and paddy in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. More rain is reported to be needed in the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk and cholera in parts of the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy except in the villages of Harnahalli and Guttinkere where "foot and mouth disease" is said to prevail. It is reported that the Assistant Veterinary Inspector has been ordered to inspect the locality and do the needfull in the matter early. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of the Shimoga and Sagar Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane throughout the district and til in parts of the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy and Bengal gram in parts of the Shimoga Taluk; ragi in parts of the Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; green gram in parts of the Shimoga and Honnali Taluks; and cholum in parts of the Shimoga Taluk are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for murrain in parts of the Honnali and Tirthahalli Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector has gone to the Tirthahalli Taluk and is taking necessary steps to prevent the spread of the cattle disease.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding and transplanting of paddy in parts of Chikmagalur, Koppa, Mudgere and Sringeri.

Crops sown.—Paddy in Kadur; paddy, jola, gingelly, green gram and tadagani in parts of Tarikere.

Standing crops.—In Chikmagalur paddy, ragi, sugar cane, coffee, avare, togari, gingelly, garlic, onions, jola, chillies, castor, black gram, potato, coriander, tadagani and beans; in Kadur paddy, gingelly, jola, sugar cane, coriander, black gram, green gram and tadagani; in Tarikere green gram, jola, gingelly, tadagani and sugar cane; in Koppa sugar cane; in Maddagiri paddy, ragi and sugar cane; in Yedahalli and Sringeri paddy.

These are reported to be in good condition. But it is reported that more rain is urgently needed for the standing crops, especially in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks. Owing to insufficiency of rain, gingelly crop is reported to have been infested with "Kondli" insects in parts of Yagati and Sivane Hoblis of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. More rain is reported to be urgently required in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Tauks. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague and cholera in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as, jola, navane, sajje, castor, sesamum, black gram, green gram, and togari are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Jola and togari in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Davangere Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk; cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk; avare in the Chitaldrug Taluk; sesamum in the Chitaldrug and Davangere Taluks; paddy in the Holalkere and Davangere Taluks; ragi in the Holalkere Taluk; castor in the Davangere and Molakalmuru Taluks; black gram in the Molakalmuru Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk; Bengal gram and green gram in the Molakalmuru Taluk and horse gram in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Except for cholera in some villages in all the taluks, except Hiriyur, Holalkere and Molakalmuru, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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